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STRAIGHT FACTS FROM REV. HALE

FORMER MARYVILLE MINISTER TALKS AT COURT [illegible]SE

PRAISES AND PANS

"Parson" Tells of Things Done and Not Done Here; Guest of Com. Club at Banquet.

Rev. L. M. Hale, of St. Louis, former minister of the Baptist church in this city and familiarly known to a large number of residents here as "Parson," wound up his visit in Maryville last night with a public address at the court house square on "Civic Affairs."

Preceeding his address at the court house, Rev Hale was the guest of the Directors of the Commercial Club at a banquet at the New Linville hotel.

In his talk last night "Parson" Hale in his characteristic fearless manner, praised the city for the things that have been accomplished here and at the same time rapped the citizens for the things that they have failed to do.

"Since my absence I have noted with pleasure" the advance which Maryville has made along certain lines" said Rev. Hale, "Nodaway county has come to be known throughout the United States and the entire world as a leader in stock raising and breeding. The farms are among the most valuable in the country and the crops raised here were one of the important factors in the winning of the war."

He then told of the spirit of good fellowship and co-operation which has come about in this community, and which makes it a very desirable one to live in. "The Commercial Club has been one of the leaders in this spirit of good fellowship and union," he said, "and a great deal of credit is due them for the work they have accomplished. I have noticed that the membership of this organization has reached the 200 mark, and I was certainly delighted to learn that the membership has grown through the natural interest of the citizens. The Commercial Club is a live organization and I am very glad to see the spirit with which they are working not only for Maryville but for the entire Nodaway county." Rev. Hale then spoke of the $50,000 water bond issue here and congratulated Maryville on her action in this important matter. "When I return here again" said Rev. Hale "I will expect to see clear, sparkling water gushing from the faucets instead of the dark murky 102 River as it now comes."

Near the close of his address, after he had finished praising Maryville and community, the speaker told some straightforward facts concerning the manner in which the city has fallen down. "Maryville is the heart of Nodaway county' he said, "and I really think that the town is the important part of the county, and not generally a cog in it. One of the things that Maryville has been lax in, has been the matter of securing new manufacturing plants for the town. To be a thriving successful city, manufacturing plants and laboring people are necessary. There has been no concerted effort here to secure such plants, although the railroad advantages offer excellent inducements." Rev. Hale then told of the manner in which the city has been falling behind in the matter of offering inducements for the young people to stay. "Nodaway has been pouring her red blooded young men and women to other communities because of the lack of inducements to stay here,' he said, "and this is one of the greatest losses which she could possibly suffer." He advocated the estaablishment of a Y. M. C. A. and various other social organizations to keep the boys and girls at home.

As a climax to his talk, Rev. Hale spoke of the great amount of money which is being held in this county without being put to any advantageous use [illegible] the community. "During war [illegible]" he said, "the man who hoarded [illegible]y and did not use it to help [illegible] war through the purchase of L[illegible]y Bonds was considered a slacker and a traitor to his country. I say that the farmer or business man who makes his money in a community and then fails to do his duty by supporting improvements for the public good, is as much a slacker to his home as the man who refused to support the government."

Following his address last night, Rev. Hale returned over the Wabash to St. Louis.

State Historical Society COLUMBIA

TWO REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS AMOUNTING TO $24000 MADE

Adam Kern Buys Roy Martin Property —John Sewell and Thomas Pugh Exchange Real Estate.

Two land deals were recently made through the Allen Bros. Real Estate Co., Roy Martin sold his property, located on East Second Street, te Adam Kern.

Thomas Pugh sold his 120 acre farm, situated five miles southeast of Maryville to John Sewell. Mr. Pugh purchased Mr. Sewell's property in Burlington Junction. Both parties take possession of their new properties on March 1, 1920. These two real estate transfers involved a consideration of $24,000.

SITUATION QUIET IN TEXAS RACE RIOTS

Troops Patrolling Streets of Long View, Texas—Authorities Taking Every Precaution.

Dallas, July 12.—Long View, Texas, which was the scene of sharp fighting between the negroes and whites yesterday, is quiet again today and the troops are patrolling the streets. The feeling against the negroes is still very high, however, and the authorities are taking every precaution to prevent further outbreaks.

A-4 REACHES WASHINGTON

Army's Greatest Dirigible Completes Trip from Akron to Capital. Permanent Station.

Washington, July 12.—The A-4, the army's greatest dirigible, which left Akron, Ohio, at 10 o'clock last night, passed over the capital at 9:45 this morning. After circling the city it proceeded to Langley Field, Virginia, where it will be permanently stationed.

SOLDIERS KILLED WHEN TRUCK PLUNGES OVER BANK.

Two Army Captains Die in Accident. Five Other Soldiers Killed and Eleven Injured.

Washington, July 12—Seven soldiers, two of them reported to be captains, were killed and eleven injured when an army truck in which they were riding plunged over an embankment near Alexandia early today.

Mrs. M. Nusbaum will come from St. Joseph tonight to spend two months here.

Electric Theatre

Monday and Tuesday, July 14 and 15, J. Stewart Blackton's Screen Triumph.

'The Common Cause'

The war story with a laugh, a thrill and a throb.

STOP A MINUTE and think—Monday and Tuesday is the time to see "THE COMMON CAUSE."

Don't wait until it is too late, before you realize you wanted to see it.

NODAWAY CO. LEADS THEM ALL AGAIN

HAS LARGEST CORN ACREAGE OF ANY COUNTY IN THE STATE

MUCH WHEAT IN STATE

Corn Acreage Over State Smallest in 25 Years—Wheat Double 10 Year Average.

Nodaway County has the biggest corn acreage of any county in the state of Missouri with an acreage of 148,260 bushels. The nearest county to Nodaway in corn acreage is Atchison with an acreage of 120,000. Only three other counties in the state reach the 100,000 mark.

The condition of the corn crop is 82 per cent which is not as high as some of the other counties. The condition of the potato crop is 86 per cent, wheat 87 per cent, oats 84 per cent, apples 64 per cent, hay 5 per cent. Average weight of wool per fleece 7.4 pounds; average price per pound 50c. The condition of pastures 100 per cent.

Missouri farmers lost 6,968,000 bushels in wheat during June, according to the joint report of E. A. Logan and Jewell Mayes of the United States Bureau of Crop Estimates and the State Board of Agriculture, the state yield dropping to 64,817,750 bushels.

The July condition of Missouri wheat is 85 per cent, indicating 15.3 bushels per acre, total 64,817,750 bushels. The splendid prospects of May were reduced by excessive moisture, rust, scab, blight, other wheat diseases, and washing of bloom. Great difficulty has been experienced in harvesting because of soft ground and down grain. However, most of the down grain has been cut.

In southeast Missouri considerable small grain was lost in the field, due to standing water and wet ground, June weather was the most unfavorable since 1915, grain failed to fill as expected, and quality of berry has been injured. Threshing returns show disappointment in southeast Missouri and other points. Threshing is tough, with much trash coming through the spout in the effort to save the grain from going into the stack. Straw is very heavy. Present indications confirm the estimate in these reports for May, when 15.8 bushels per acre was predicted for July, compared to 15.3 on the present conditions. The state yield for 1918 was 17 bushels per acre or 52,258,000 bushels.

The Missouri corn acreage is 86 per cent of 1918, or 5,755,980 acres against 6,693,000. Condition 80 per cent, indicating 25.6 bushels per acre or 147,353,000 bushels. Corn was planted in most sections from ten to forty days late and cultivation was impeded. In most places the plants are vigorous, but with much weeds and grass, though vastly improved in the past ten days. The flat lands of northeast and southeast Missouri are very foul, and some fields abandoned. Difficulty in planting overflowed bottom wheat land makes that acreage very late. Lack of cultivation is causing much corn to go to maturity weedy and grassy. Corn in early fields is beginning to tassel. Condition of crop was 91 per cent, July, 1918. On October 1st during the past seventeen years, corn has averaged about 80 per cent, indicating yield of 30 bushels. The average 1919 acreage of Missouri corn is the smallest in 25 years or since 1894.

Oats condition is 89 per cent, indicating 30.7 bushels per acre totaling 43,511,700. Slight improvement during June, some sections badly damaged by wind. Injured by rust and lodged in many counties. Extra good in south Ozark counties. Condition of rye 87 per cent, hurt worse than other grains in heavy growing counties. Barley 87 per cent, flax 88 per cent and buckwheat 90 per cent.

Condition of hay 92 per cent, indicating 1.23 tons per acre. Old meadows poor, newer ones fine. June rains beneficial. Clover 90 per cent; last year's drowth killed much clover, but new seedings good. Alfalfa 92 per cent, first crop damaged by rains, second crop had start where first cutting was late. Timothy 94 per cent on reduced acreage with 1919 seedings fine. Millet 89 per cent, Sorghums 89 per cent, peas 87 per cent, seeded late. Pasturage best for several years at 98 per cent. Blue grass fine, with heavy crop of seed. Abundance of water for live stock.

Fruit conditions confirm May report on frost. Apples 60 per cent, with near failures in some southern and central counties. Peaches 50 per cent, with failure in the northern third. Grapes 76 per cent, frost damage at scattering sections. Blackberries and raspberries 97 per cent, best crop in several years, Watermelons 76 per cent, with low condition in commercial sections. Cantaloupes 78 per cent.

Vegetables generally suffered from too much rain. Potatoes 90 per cent, slightly reduced acreage. Sweet potatoes 90 per cent, also smaller acreage. Beans 89 per cent, tomatoes 90 per cent, cabbage 89 per cent, onions 93 per cent—better than most vegetables. Broom corn 85 per cent, peanuts 87 per cent, tobacco 91 per cent, sorghum for syrup 87 per cent, all on slightly reduced acreage.

General crop outlook is above the 10 year average. Acute labor scarcity, purely local, gradually relieved. Great damage from rain in Southeast Missouri, with much idle ground and many crops in bad condition. Plant diseases more prevalent than usual. Army worms, worst in Chariton, Howard, Saline, and in other scattering neighborhoods, are disappearing. The Missouri wool clip 7.1 pounds per sheep totals 10,926,900 pounds, at 50 cents per pound amounting to $5,463,450.

ONE GETS 5 YEARS AND THE OTHER 3

ONLY HOLD ON ONE COUNT, BURGLARY, BY JUDGE DAWSON

AT SPECIAL COURT TERM

Benton Gray Gets Longer Sentence Because of Previous Record—Both Given Some Good Advice.

Benton Gray was sentenced to the state penitentiary for five years by Judge Dawson in a special term of circuit court this morning. Albert Ping was sentenced to three years at the state penitentiary at the same time. The charge preferred against the men was that of burglary of the Fred Wallace home southeast of Maryville. The two other counts against the men were grand larceny and carrying concealed weapons which were dismissed by the court.

Benton Gray and Albert Ping entered the Fred Wallace home Wednesday morning about 7:30 o'clock while no one was at home. Later in the evening they came up town and late at night tried to pawn one of two gold watches taken at the Wallace home, for something to eat.

Benton Gray was given five years in the penitentiary two years more than his partner, although both were guilty of the same offense because he has a previous criminal record, having served time at the state reformatory at Booneville for twenty-three months being released June 1, 1918. He was only recently married, his wife was formerly Miss Bertha Seals. His home is on South Hester street.

Albert Ping was given three years, since he has no previous criminal record. His home is on South Eighth street, St. Joseph.

Before passing sentence on the men, Judge Dawson gave a heart-to-heart lecture in which he pointed out the seriousness of their crime, coming at such a time as the present. "All over this country," said the Judge, "the farmers are crying for harvest hands to help bring in the great crop which must furnish the food supply to the world next winter. Here you are," he added, "a couple of strong, healthy young men just starting out on your career in life. You had unlimited opportunity to take your place like men and help in this big work at the fabulous wages, but you have spurned honest labor to become thieves."

He then told them of the sure hand of the law and the manner in which crime is certain to get its punishment.

"The purpose of the law is twofold," he said; "first to punish the man who does a wrong, and second to furnish an example for others who contemplate such."

Through questioning, Judge Dawson brought out that the men had been given several opportunities for work in the fields en route to Maryville, but had refused because they were "not permanent places."

During the proceedings, Gray boldy answered the questions put to him, but Ping, the younger of the pair, sat with his head buried in his hands and spoke only in monosyllables when questioned concerning his crime.

Miss Anna Cornell of Burlington Junction is a guest at the home of her brother, Jos. W. Cornell, and family.

TEACHERS MEET HERE AUG. 26-28

ANNUAL NODAWAY CO. TEACHERS ASSOCIATION CONVENTION AT H. S.

CO. SCHOOL BOARD SESSION

Approximately 250 Teachers to Attend; Prof. W. M. Oakerson, Jeff. City, to Make Address.

In the neighborhood of 250 teachers from the rural school throughout Nodaway county will attend the annual fall convention of the Nodaway County Teachers Association which will be held at the high school in this city August 26-27. Simultaneous with the teachers meeting the Nodaway County School Board will also be in session ata the high school building.

One of the features of the coming convention will be an address by Prof. W. M. Oakerson, superintendent of schools at Jefferson City, who will talk to the teachers on some subject of general educational interest. Prof. Oakerson was formerly county superintendent of schools here and is well acquainted with the problems which are to be met. It was stated today that in addition to the talk by Prof. Oakerson, a representative of the Missouri state educational department will also make a talk.

All the sessions of the convention at the high school building will be in charge of County Superintendent of Schools Bert Cooper, who through this position, acts as president of the association.

The annual teacher's convention is a meeting which all teachers in the county schools of the state are required to attend by law. The purpose is the making of plans for the ensuing year and the arrangements for the courses of study in the various schools.

Heretofore the County School Board convention has been held in the spring but owing to the bad weather during the past months, it was decided to postpone the meeting until the time when the general teachers conference was in session.

COMETS DEFY "JINX" IN WESTAB GAME TOMORROW

Loals to Play St. Joe Team Here: Visitors Have a Reputation as "Go-Getters."

If Cap Black of the Maryville Comets can shoo away the bad weather "jinx" that has been following his club for the past several weeks, there will be a ball game out at the Fair grounds park tomorrow afternoon with the St. Joe Westabs.

The latter crew are said to be a real "go-getters" and their proud boast is that they have not lost a game this season. They are a traveling outfit 20rdanFT,heThey a and have taken into tow some of the best teams in western Missouri and Kansas.

The Comets will prance out on the lot tomorrow afternoon in their new uniforms, and according to the word that has been passed, the new togs make the outfit look one hundred per cent better.

Although Cap Black was unable to announce the definite line-up for tomorrow, he said that Bluell would be on the mound. The game will start at 3:30 p. m.

Guests at O'Grady Home.

J. P. Ryan of Chicago has been a guest at the home of his sister, Mrs. D. O'Grady, southwest of Maryville, since Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. O'Grady's daughter, Mrs. Joe O'Donnell of Arkoe, came last night to spend the week-end at the O'Grady home.

Miss Baker to Pennsylvania.

Miss Carrie Margaret Baker will leave tomorrow for an extended visit in Ebensburg, Pa. She will be the guest of a school friend whom she met at Northwestern University, Evanston, Ill.

Miss Rice. Ill.

Miss Eleanor Rice left this afternoon for Oklahoma City, Okla., where she was called by the illness of Miss Berenice Rice, head of the Conservatory of Music in this city.

To Visit at Tate Home.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Kreider of Des Moines, Ia., will arive tonight to spend two weeks at the home of Mrs. Kreider's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Tate.

SAY GERMAN LEADERS WILL SURRENDER SELVES TO ALLIES

Admiral Von Tirpitz and Gen. Ludendorf May Offer Selves for Trial; Sub Commanders Seeking Shelter.

Berlin, July 12.—There is a report in circulation here that Admiral Von Tirpitz was the originator of the German submarine frighttfulness and General Ludendorff, former "brains of the German Army" may soon come forward to give themselves up to the allies to stand trial on charges of war crimes. Many former submarine commanders are fleeing the country, taking refuge in Russia or neutral countries.

R-34 IS NEARING HER GOAL

British Dirigible Reported 100 Miles off Irish Coast; Expected to Land Tonight.

London, July 12.—Making good time, despite the complete disabling of one of her engine motors, the British dirigible R-34 is several hundred miles off the Irish coast and is heading northward for Scotland. Unless further mishaps occur, the dirigible is expected to land tonight.

MORE FIRES IN WHEAT BELT

Inspectors Busy Running Down Clues; Blazes Show Incendary Origin.

Topeka, Kans, July 12.—Three more fires were reported to the state fire marshall today from western Kansas. The places visited by the fire, which, under the circumstances indicate incendarism, are St. John, Brewster and Plain. Inspectors are investigating all clues that may lead to the persons responsible for the much dreaded danger to the wheat crop.

PERMANENT OFFICERS AND COMMITTEES FOR CLASS

M. L. Grable to Lead Organization; Address by Snodgrass Tomorrow Morning.

As the result of appointments made during the past week by a committee of the Young Men's Bible Class of the Christian church, M. L. Grable has been selected as permanent president of that organization. W. E. Goforth, was selected as vice president; Herchel Wiles, secretary, and R. E. Snodgrass, teacher.

The committee also appointed permanent committees for the class which are as follows: Membership, G. H. Westfall, chairman; Marion Smith and Joel Trullinger. Social, Fred Newlon, chairman, and Ellis G. Cook. Publicity Harry Todd, chairman; William Clark and Harold Stafford. Reception, Lee Crossan and Albert Appleby. Music, Loren Schnabel.p .Devotional, W. E. Goforth.

The first meeting of the class under the new executives will be held at the Electric theater tomorrow morning. Rev. Snodgrass, teacher of the class, will tell the members of the purpose of the organization and will explain the work and goal.

A special musical program has been arranged for the meeting tomorrow morning.

S. T. C. STUDENTS TO AID IN COMMERCIAL CLUB DISPLAY.

Secretary Pickens and Prof. Metzler Collect More Specimens of Nodaway County Products.

Secretary George A. Pickens of the Commercial Club and Prof. L. F. Metzler of the State Teacher's College made a tour of the county surrounding Maryville this morning and gathered additional specimens for the agricultural display at the Commercial Club rooms.

Prof. Metzler's class in agriculture at the College will come to the Club rooms Monday afternoon and will begin the work of assorting the specimens which have been secured.

TUMULTY DENIES FRICTION.

Washington, July 12.—Secretary Tumulty issued a statement emphatically denying the report that friction exists between President Wilson and Senator Hitchcock of Nebraska.

LEGAL FIGHT ON DRY LAW STARTS

CONSTITUTIONALITY OF PROHIBITION BEING ARGUED.

NOTED LAWYERS APPEAR

Noted Jurists Throughout Country Prepare Attack; Elihu Root and William Guthrie in Fight.

Washington, July 12.—The constitutionality of prohibition was on trial today with some of the most eminent lawyers in the country preparing an attack on it. Samuel Untermyer was to appear before the prohibition subcommittee of the Senate Judiciary Committee and argue against the constitutionality of the prohibition enforcement laws now proposed in the Senate. It is probable that Elihu Root, former senator from New York, and Willard Guthrie will appear.

Representative Volstead, chairman of the judiciary committee, in charge of the bill, and Representative Igoe, Democrat of Missouri, leader of the minority, were unable to allot all of the time desired by members eager to be heard. The speech making will continue today, but the House will not begin actual work on the bill until Monday.

Again today some of the prohibitionists declared they could not support the enforcement bill because of its provisions, and others contended that once Congress defies intoxicating liquors as a beverage containing one-half of 1 per cent alcohol, the federal law for such enforcement cannot become effective without concurrent action by the several states.

The principal "dry" argument against, the measure today was made by Representative Moon, Democrat, of Tennessee, who declared that unless it was materially amended he would feel in duty bound to vote against it or else express his disapproval by not voting at all.

For twenty-two years, Mr. Moon said he had stood upon the floor of the House and upheld the cause of prohibition, but the enforcement bill, which he characterized as "impracticable and senseless as anything ever suggested," should be opposed 'because it is worse in all its features than th infamous force bill."

Washington, July 12.—Present war time prohibition bills before congress are unworthy and insincere Samuel Untermyer, New York attorney declared today before the prohibition sub-committee of the senate. Search and seizure provisions should be included, Untermyer declared, since as the bills now stand they provide class legislation, allowing rich men to stock up but denying poor men the right to buy. Untermyer declared that to eliminate the saloon congress must prohibit the sale of all liquors containing any alcohol under the war time prohibition law.

PRESIDENT VETOES THE AG. APPROPRIATION BILL

Rider Repealing Daylight Saving Law Given as Cause; Similar Civil Bills Also Vetoed.

Washington, July 12.—Because of the rider repealing the day light saving law the President vetoed the agricultural appropriation bill. At the same time it was announced that he had also, vetoed sundry civil appropriation bills.

Miss Helen Lainhart and Miss Pauline Kerlin of Albany are the guests of friends here.

WEATHER FOR TODAY

Somewhat unsettled but generally fair tonight and Sunday.

Empire Theatre Tonight

David Wark Griffith's Supreme Triumph

"Hearts of The World"

(Eighteen months in the making)

Feauring LILLIAN and DOROTHY GISH

—Night Performance—30c and 60c—ar tax included—7 and 9:45 o'clock.

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MEMBER MISSOURI PRESS ASSOCIATION

Maryville Man to Alliance.

Wade Smith, a former Maryville business man, who has been located at McCook, Nebr., for the past eighteen months, has sold his interests there and purchased a busines at Alliance. The following notice is from the McCook Tribune:

The formal transfer of the McCook laundry will occur next Monday, W. H. Hill, the new proprietor, is now in the city and plans are closing for the change at that time.

The McCook laundry under the efficient management of Messrs. Wade and George Smith has grown into one of McCook's most prosperous and promising businesses, and it is with regret indeed that the Smith Bros. sever their business relations with the people of McCook, for whom they have the highest regard and to whom they are indeed appreciative for the splendid patronage accorded during their business life here.

For the past two years Mr. Hill has been in charge of large government laundry operations at Fort Russell, Cheyenne, Wyoming, and at Denver for the government hospital.

Mr. Smith will leave shortly together with Mrs. Smith, and will spend some time in a much-deserved and needed rest, before joining his brother George in their laundry business at Alliance.

Nought but best wishes will go with Mr. and Mrs. Smith.

Lady to sell made-to-measure silk and cloth skirts $5.00 up. Also dresses waists and corsets. Perfect Economy Co. Care Station B, Kansas City, Mo. 12*

The story of the war will live; so will "The Common Cause," at the Electric Theatre next Monday and Tuesday.

See the bright side of the war—"The Common Cause," at the Electric Theatre next Monday and Tuesday.

To-Night

In the Big Tent

DUBINSKY BROS. STOCK COMPANY

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3 Big Vaudeville Features

Tonight's Play—

THE SENSATIONAL PLAY

"THE MOONSHINERS"

Prices 10c and 30c. A few reserved at 10c extra.

Be There Tonight Sure.

NEWS FROM

NODAWAY COUNTY TOWNS

Burlington Junction Post.

Jonathan Graves was seriously injured this morning when he fell from the roof of the old corner restaurant building, which he is tearing down.

Mrs. H. A. Webb has sold her farm of 160 acres, located southeast of Burlington Junction, to Frank B. Paul of Shelby, Iowa, for a consideration of $28,800, or $160 an acre.

T. J. Adams returned to his home at North Platte, Neb., Thursday, after a few days' visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Adams. Tom hired eight men from this county while here to work in the big ice plant at North Platte, of which he is foreman. He hired two from Elmo and six from Maryville.

"Uncle" George Aley, in addition to being the champion fisherman of the country will now have to be known as the champion corn raiser. He was exhibiting a stock of corn on Main street yesterday that measured ten feet from roots to the top of the tassel. Mr. Aley planted this corn April 15 and has a good quantity of it. Fine record for a man that has passed four score years.

John Vanderlinden took quite a stroll last Wednesday when he led a milk cow to Maryville. Geo. Vance made his son, Charles Vance, a present of the cow and John was engaged to lead her over. He reached Maryville at noon—and said he wasn't very tired either. Pretty good for a man of his years.

The dates of the Burlington Junction Chautauqua are August 28 to September 2.

Mrs. Hood and daughter, Rachel went to Maryville Tuesday evening to visit at the home of Thos. Clark.

O. F. Wilson, who is in the St. Francis hospital at Maryville suffering from a carbuncle on his neck, is not doing as well as had been hoped for. The growth is very painful and he gets but little rest.

Hopkins Journal.

Bert Reynolds, who came to Hopkins nearly forty years ago with the car load of New York waifs, one of his companions being ex-Mayor Jost, of Kansas City, arrived here last Thursday to spend the day renewing old acquaintances, this being his first visit since he left here nearly thirty years ago. Bert made his home for several years with Dr. Gerard and later with Harry Myers and was very popular with everybody, being full of life and "as sharp as a tack." He is now traveling for a big eastern wholesale house with headquarters in Chicago. He only makes the larger towns and draws big money. He went from here to Maryville to visit a few days before again resuming his duties on the road. His brother Dick is now living on a ranch in California.

Miss Margaret Kirk is visiting relatives in Kansas City, Kansas, accompanying her aunt, Mrs. Mary Clark, home. Mrs. Clark having visited here, Dr. Kirk's mother, Mrs. Flora Quinn, of Maryville, has also been visiting here.

Miss Suenna Carriker arrievd in Hopkins last Friday from her home in North Carolina to spend the summer here with her brother, Rev. J. A. Carriker, pastor of the Presbyterian church. She has been connected with a leading southern hospital the past nine years, being a trained nurse. She was met by her brother in Chicago.

Chas. Ewing of Seymour, Ind., is here to again visit in the home of his uncle, Captain James Ewing, this being the twenty-seventh consecutive annual vacation he has spent in Hopkins. The junior Mr. Ewing was a passenger engineer on the B. & M. railroad for many years, at one time pulling the fast mail, but his eyes went back on him and he quit the railroad eighteen years ago, since which time he has been in the government service, being a rural mail carrier out of Seymour. He came to Hopkins 27 years ago, having learned by chance that this was his uncle's home, and had such a fine time that he said then he would be back every year to spend his annual vacation and has made his word good, not missing a year. Captain Ewing is now 92 years of age and is confined to his bed most of the time. Although blind and almost helpless, he makes an effort to visit with his favorite nephew, realizing full well that he will not be alive when vacation days are here next year. With the passing of his uncle, the junior Mr. Ewing will cease to make his annual visits here, getting up in years himself, being perhaps 65 years old.

Skidmore News.

It is the intention of Mayor Miller and his entire family (with the exception of little Virginia, who will remain at the Spahr home) Dr. and Mrs. J. E. Pierpoint and son, Everett, and M. A. Sewell and his family to leave the first of next week for a trip through Yellowstone National Park and Pierpoint families will drive thru in their automobiles.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Howden and son, Elmer, left Monday morning for Kansas ity to spend a few days visiting with Fred Howden and wife. From Kansas City they go to Springfield to see Frank Terhune and his family and from there to Edwardsville, Illinois, where they will be guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Howden.

Preparations are being made by the George and Frank Manchester families for a trip to the Ozark mountain regions of South Missouri where they will spend two or three weeks vacation. The trip will be made in their automobiles.

Ellwood Barrett and James Arnett and their families of Maryville, were victims of an auto accident the morning of the 4th at the culvert just north the driveway that leads to the J. E. Strickler residence from the road. It seems that they were driving at a rather rapid pace toward Skidmore when Mr. Arnett lost control of the machine which ran into a ditch upset, broke a door off and completely demolished one wheel. Fortunately none of the occupants of the car were injured.

Last Monday was Rev. Hugh McLellan's 48th birthday and that event was celebrated one day earlier by the membership of the Christian church congregation by the taking of baskets filled with good things to eat when they went to the Bible school and preaching services and after the close of the morning worship, serving a dinner on tables that were placed in the church. A mammoth birthday cake, crowned with 48 flags was placed before the pastor and as a fitting ending of the pleasant meal, the cake was cut and each one present given a piece.

Although the Ford car in which they were coming to town Wednesday afternoon, knocked the banister off the north side of the bridge, east of the Wes Barrett corner, and turned completely over landing in the bottom of a ditch some 15 or 20 feet deep, Mr. and Mrs. Milton R. Hays and their son, Raymond, escaped injury save a few scratches. When the car landed, Raymond and Mr. Hays were able to get out at once, but Mrs. Hays who was in the rear seat was unable to get out until an egg case and some dirt was removed. The top of the car, which was up is ruined and there is also some damage to the radiator and lights.

Conception Courier.

Miss Anna Brown of Sioux City, Ia., and George Geiger of this city, were quietly married at about 7 o'clock Monday evening, July 7, 1919, at the Parish House, Rev. Father Joachim officiating. The bride was attended by her niece of Sioux City, Iowa, while the groom was attended by Mr. James Morrisey. Mr. and Mrs. Geiger will make their home here.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Purcell returned home Saturday morning from an extended visit in Salt Lake City, Utah, and report an enjoyable trip.

Misses Mabel and Bertha Felix and Masters Edward and Vincent Felix, all of Maryville, are visiting at the home of their aunt, Miss Kate Felix, in Clyde, this week.

D. E. Weddell, who has been working as third trick operator at the C. G. W. depot here for sometime, left Tuesday for Martensdale, Iowa, where he was checked in as agent. "Curly" is a first class operator and will make good. Mrs. Weddell and children left today to join him in a home there.

J. A. Linneman has purchased the George Maloy lot, in the south part of town, formerly owned by Mrs. A. E. Coffman.

Elmo Register.

Uncle Hugh Severs is reported to be quite ill, with little prospects of recovery.

Miss Leona Kelly, a former teacher here, spent the week end with the family of W. D. Reece. She is now employed in teaching at Manti, Utah, having contracted recently for her third year. She is visiting her sister, Mrs. Eugene Rathbun of Maryville, and will likely return to Utah next month.

The girl we used to know as Miss Nora Sturtevant of Clearmont, with her husband, a Mr. Stephenson, was in town Monday on a visit to Mr. Shoptaugh. They live in Kansas City.

L. E. Adkins tells of a quail in Jim Kelly's orchard that is setting on nine quail eggs and eight guinea eggs, and covers them all.

Parnell Sentinel.

Miss Ora Bishop left Tuesday for Las Animas, Colo., to visit her sister, Mrs. "Heck" Baublits, and from there she will go to Billings, Montana, to visit an aunt, a sister of her mother. Miss Ora expects to be gone several weeks.

Mrs. Emma Shepard of Los Angeles, Cal., arrived here Saturday night on a visit with her sister, Mrs. A. A. Thummel. It has been thirty-five years since Mrs. Shepard has been here. She and her husband used to live at Gaynor and Bedford.

Clearmont News.

The Clearmont Chautauqua will be held August 13-17 inclusive.

Walter Davis met with a painful accident Sunday afternoon while playing in the Clearmont—Braddyville ball game. He slid in home when he struck his foot on the home plate and strained it very badly, the ligaments in the instep being torn loose, and he has been unable to step on it for several days.

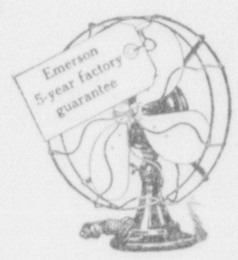
Barnard Bulletin.

Cards were received by this office Wednesday announcing the marriage of Miss Jessie Marie O'Howell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Willard T. O'Howell of Newport Beach, California, to Mr. Albert G. Stevens. Mr. and Mrs. Stevens will be at home to their friends after September 1st at Safford, Ariz.

C. O. McGrew and family will motor to Denver, Colorado about the 20th of this month where he plans to spend the summer. He has no plans for definitely locating there and says that he may be back in this country before the snow flies. McGrew recently sold his farm to John Hanson.

Have you ever seen a Tank in action? You will see them in "The Common Cause," at the Electric Theatre next Monday and Tuesday.

Tell it to the Marines. What? Their work in "The Common Cause," at the Electric Theatre next Monday and Tuesday.



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The fan that is really adjustable!

THE comfort you get from your fan depends so much on little things you are likely to overlook at first.

Oscillating fans seem much alike—'till you try them at home or the office. Then you will find exclusive refinements and conveniences in Emersons that will appeal to you.

Emersons can be regulated to swing back and forth through a wide arc or a short one, as you want. A touch of the thumb and finger does it—stops the oscillating motion altogether if you like.

Emersons can be pointed to oscillate in just the direction you want. Pull out the handle at the back and use it as a pointer for the breeze. So easy anyone can do it the first time.

Tip the Emerson up to blow overhead if you like—put it on the mantel and point it down—or fasten it to the wall—by loosening a big, convenient thumbscrew.

Come in and see these 5-year guaranteed fans. Let us explain why the Emerson is the fan that is really adjustable.

We have many sizes and styles on hand, now! Come now.

Maryville Light & Power Company

Go to Church Tomorrow

The announcements of various Churches printed herewith are invitations to you to attend their services.

South Methodist.

Methodist Episcopal, South, Second and Buchanan streets, R. C. Holliday, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 o'clock. Morning worship at 11 o'clock. Sermon subject. "The Future of the Faith." Epworth League at 7. Evening services at 8. Sermon subject, "The Epworth League as a Factor in Church Life." Special music at all services.

Baptist.

First Baptist, corner Market and Jenkins. W. C. Ferguson, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 promptly. I. E. Tebow, superintendent. Men's Organized class at 9:30 o'clock. Morning worship at 11. There will be a patriotic exercise by three of the Juniors, Laura Margaret Raines, Homer Gile and Fred Ferguson. Sermon subject, "Church Union." Kenny and Frank Tebow will sing a duet. B. Y. P. U. at 7:30. Sermon subject, "The Gospel of Christ." Ed Goodspeed will sing a solo.

Presbyterian.

First Presbyterian, Main and Jenkins. Dr. S. A. Coile, pastor. Sunday school at 9:45 o'clock, H. P. Swinehart superintendent. Morning church worship at 11 o'clock. Subject of sermon, "That Which Is Lost." Evening worship at 8:30 o'clock. Sermon subject, "The Value of Life." Special music at both services.

Methodist.

First Methodist, Main and First streets Dr. Gilbert S. Cox, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 o'clock. Preaching at 10:45 o'clock by Dr. W. F. Foreman of St. Louis, representative of the anti-saloon league. Epworth League at 7. Evening service at 8. The pastor, Rev. G. S. Cox, will give an illustrated lecture, "The Six o'Clock Whistle Around the World." Special music at both services.

First Church of Christ, Scientist.

First Church of Christ, Scientist, 206 South Main street.—Sunday school at 9:30. Morning worship at 11 o'clock, subject of lesson sermon, "Sacrament." Reading room in church building open each Wednesday and Saturday afternoon to the public. Mid-week prayer service Wednesday night at 8 o'clock. Everyone welcome to all services and to the use of the reading room.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Bible school at 9:30. Junior day in the Sunday school. Opening exercises in charge of Mrs. Ellis Cook, junior superintendent. Preaching service at 10.45. Anthem, "Come, Let us Sing." (Shinn). Sermon by the pastor, Rev. R. E. Snodgrass, subject, "The Christian Soldier." The evening service will begin at 8 o'clock. Anthem, "Thy Will be Done," (Haselden). Sermon subject, "Religion in Everyday Affairs."

Catholic.

St. Patrick's, Buchanan and First, Rev. Father Henry F. Niemann, pastor. Low mass at 8 o'clock a. m. High mass at 10 o'clock.

St. Mary's, South Davis street, Rev. Father Odillo Scheiber, pastor. Low mass at 8 o'clock a. m. High mass with hymns at 10 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Lowry of Lincoln Center, Kan., are visiting at the home of his father, Wm. Lowry, of this city. Mr. Lowry is employed as first trick operator by the Union Pacific railroad at Lincoln Center.

See the first screen history of the war—J. Stuart Blackton's "The Common Cause," at the Electric Theatre next Monday and Tuesday.

Carpenter, The Kodak Man, loans and sells Kodaks. 13.

WRIGLEY'S
In the sealed package
All of its goodness sealed in—
Protected, preserved.
The flavor lasts!
ASK for, and be SURE to get WRIGLEY'S. It's in a sealed package, but look for the name—the Greatest Name in Goody-Land.
UNIT COUPONS
WRIGLEY'S SPEARMINT THE PERFECT GUM
MINT LEAF FLAVOR
WRIGLEY'S DOUBLEMINT CHEWING GUM PEPPERMINT
WRIGLEY'S JUICY FRUIT CHEWING GUM
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Sealed Tight—Kept Right

Again the Haines brothers are in New York, the world's greatest market, to buy Fall stocks for the Haines stores. Their buying co-operation and their purchasing power for spot cash has always enabled them to buy goods to a better advantage. Mr. Harvey L. Haines and his brother are sure to buy the very best that the market affords, they have anticipated the wants of their customers and are sure to make purchases that will be of interest to all.

Our store will soon be alive with everything that is new and fashionable. Visit the store often in the next few weeks and you will find a larger, better and more comprehensive stock in all department than we have ever had the pleasure of showing before.

Our Great July Clearance Sale will continue all next week. Don't fail to take advantage of the many bargains offered in this Sale.

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The Store That is Anxious to Please You.

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y Daddy."

From the Continental Edition of the London Mail.

"Who can give the name of a great man who fought in the war?" was a question put by the vicar of Chertsey to the infants in Empire Day examinations. "My Daddy," came the prompt reply from a smart 5-year-old.

Met With Mrs. Leet.

The regular social meeting of the Homemakers Class of the South Methodist church was held yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. T. H. Leet, with Mrs. E. W. Heideman as assistant hostess. Following the business session, Mrs. M. A. Peery gave a talk, reminding them of obligations to each other as members of the Homemakers class. A social hour was enjoyed and refreshments were served. The visitors for the afternoon were Mrs. Snodderly, Mrs. Dawson and Miss Florence Holliday of Huntsville, who is visiting her brother, Rev. R. C. Holliday, and family.

Entertains with Porch Party.

Miss Lucie Davis entertained with an informal porch party last night at her home in honor of Mr. and Mrs. C. Edward Sturm and sons, Charles Edward, George and Robert of Oklahoma City, Okla., and Mrs. Charles Woodson Smith and children, Tudie and Bobbie, of Kansas City, who are spending the week here with the C. Q. Smith and N. Sturm families. Additional guests were Mrs. C. Q. Smith, Miss Frances Smith, and Mrs. Ed McMillan. The hostess was assisted by her sister, Miss Ruth Davis, and little Miss Tudie Smith.

Birthday Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. James Brady entertained last Sunday at their home in Clyde in honor of the birthdays of their daughter, Mrs. W. P. Farnan, and their son, Tom. A delicious dinner was served to the guests at 12 o'clock. The afternoon was spent in music, after which ice cream was served. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Merrigan, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Brady and children, James, Edward, Leo and Beatrice, Mr. and Mrs. John Farnan and children, Kathryn, Francis and Mary Rose, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Farnan and small daughter, Marguerite, Mr. and Mrs. Austin McQuinn, Misses Nora and Mary Merrigan, Gertrude Sullivan, Marguerite Brady and Clarence and Pat guerite BradyGy123456 123456 123456 Merrigan, Lawrence Murrin, Leo, Alfred, Stephen and Tom Brady, and the host and hostess.

Mrs. Lyle Hostess.

The Woman's Missionary Society of the Christian church met yesterday afternoon with Mrs. Eugene Lyle at her country home west of the city. The program was opened with devotional exercises conducted by Rev. R. E. Snodgrass. Mrs. George Hartley read and discussed the negro schools and Flanner House, and a round table talk on "Survey of Local Negro onditions," was led by Mrs. W. A. Miller. Mrs. R. L. McDougal gave a reading, "Saved to Serve." Two solos sung by Miss Ruth Reuillard closed the program and the rest of the time was spent socially. Mrs. J. C. F. Taylor and Mrs. W. L. Key were on the social committee. About thirty members and several visitors, Mrs. E. P. Powell and daughter, Mrs. George Hunter and daughter and Mrs. Alice Karr of Peabody, Kan., who is visiting her niece Miss Clara Roelofson, and other relatives, attended the meeting.

Pierce-Bridger Wedding.

The marriage of Miss Joy Corine Pierce, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. J. T. Pierce, and Leo P. Bridger, of Chicago, occurred at the Methodist parsonage last Thursday afternoon, June 26.

The wedding was very quiet and simple, only immediate members of the contracting parties being present. At five o'clock the bride, accompanied by her niece, Joy Pauline Scamman, carrying the ring in the heart of a pink rose, came down the stairs, where Mr. Bridger met and accompanied them to a position before the east window, which was decorated with ferns and rambler roses. The bride's father performed the ceremony, using the simple ring service.

The bridge was beautifully gowned in wedding gown of braided georgette crepe, without train. She wore the veil and slippers her sister had worn and the Princess slip her mother had used at her wadding. The large shower bouquet was of white snapdragons, rosebuds, baby breath and ferns. The little ring-bearer wore hand embroidered organdy with pink sash. The groom wore the conventional black. The bride's going-away suit was of gray tweed cut Norfolk style, with purple waist, hat and gloves.

A four course dinner was served and

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Annual Statement

—of—

JAMES B. ROBINSON, Treasurer

Maryville School District

From June 30th, 1918 to June 30th, 1919.

GENERAL FUND

June 30, 1918—BALANCE	$ 8,085.22

Receipts For Year.
July 11, 1918

Jas. Blagg, County Treasurer	$ 16.62

September 2, 1918

Nadine Neil, tuition	15.00
R. H. Wells, tuition	15.00
Blanch Alexander, tuition	15.00
Stanley Aley, tuition	15.00
Marie Deneen, tuition	15.00
Orville Sutterlin, tuition	15.00
Lee Cook, tuition	15.00
Dean Campbell, tuition	15.00
Lula Morris, tuition	15.00
Cleta Trueblood, tuition	15.00
Iva McDowell, tuition	15.00
May McDonald, tuition	15.00
Marie Ashford, tuition	15.00
Joab Nicholas, tuition	15.00
Fern Heffner, tuition	15.00
Lyrell Stafford, tuition	15.00
Veda Hull, tuition	15.00
Gladys Keever, tuition	15.00
R. Shrewsberry, tuition	15.00
Ina Williams, tuition	15.00
Clara Hartman, tuition	15.00
Mary Hartman, tuition	15.00
Hazel Harrington, tuition	15.00
Blanch Pierpoint, tuition	15.00
Helen Burch, tuition	15.00
Pauline McDermott, tuition	15.00
Aline Holt, tuition	15.00
Bernice Holt, tuition	15.00
Merrill McGinness, tuition	15.00

September 3, 1918

Mildred Nicholas, tuition	15.00
Robert Nicholas, tuition	15.00
Laura Nicholas, tuition	15.00
Olivia Friend, tuition	15.00
Paul Blagg, tuition	15.00
Ralph Wray, tuition	15.00
Wm. J. Lyle, tuition	15.00
Audrey Craig, tuition	15.00
Martha Kennedy, tuition	15.00
Eva Kennedy, tuition	15.00
Jean Powell, tuition	15.00
Vina Dougherty, tuition	15.00
Mildred Massey, tuition	15.00
Corinne Coffman, tuition	15.00

September 4, 1918

Mabel Messick, tuition	15.00
Elmer Miller, tuition	15.00
Levita Epperson, tuition	15.00
Merrill Epperson, tuition	15.00
Iva Sparks, tuition	15.00
Harold Dowden, tuition	15.00
Laura Dowden, tuition	15.00
Leta Dowden, tuition	15.00
Opal Thummell, tuition	9.00
Oles Mc Neill, tuition	15.00
Audrey Farrar, tuition	15.00

September 10, 1918

Margaret Sorrie, tuition	15.00
Cleo Coler, tuition	15.00
Ermil Coler, tuition	15.00

September 11, 1918

Roberta Wells, tuition	15.00
Cleo Shinabargar, tuition	15.00
Sadie Aley, tuition	15.00
Alice McMurray, tuition	15.00
Wilson McMurray, tuition	15.00
Thelma Hunter, tuition	15.00

September 13, 1918

Hazel Pugh, tuition	15.00
James Blagg, Co. Treasurer	71.07
Gladys Thompson, tuition	15.00
Wilma Hall, tuition	15.00

September 14, 1918

Mona Everist, tuition	15.00

September 16, 1918

Nellie Hall, tuition	15.00
Eldon Gray, tuition	15.00
James Blagg, Co. Treasurer	15.90

September 17, 1918

Dean Partridge, tuition	15.00
Margaret Norris, tuition	15.00

September 18, 1918

Cecyl Wiley, tuition	15.00

September 23, 1918

Mary Busby, tuition	15.00

September 27, 1918

Hayes McNeill, tuition	15.00

October 1, 1918

Cecil Howard, tuition	15.00

October 9, 1918

James Blagg, Co. Treasurer	6,770.16

October 25, 1918

Hanover Insurance Co., fire loss	4.65

October 7, 1918

Pauline Whitmore, tuition	6.00

November 2, 1918

A. S. Robey, insurance	9.30

November 16, 1918

Geo. P. Wright, secretary	4.65

November 22, 1918

E. F. Hamlin, insurance	4.30

December 6, 1918

C. L. Gann, Twp. Collector	1,537.03

January 9, 1919

C. L. Gann, Twp. Collector	15,263.05

January 16, 1919

Audrey Craig, tuition	15.00
Margaret Sorrie, tuition	15.00
Ina Williams, tuition	15.00
Gladys Keever tuition	15.00
Mary Busby, tuition	15.00
Blanch Alexander, tuition	15.00
Mary Hartman, tuition	15.00
Marie Deneen, tuition	15.00
Clara Hartman, tuition	15.00
Ermil Coler, tuition	15.00
Cleo Coler, tuition	15.00

January 17, 1919

Mabel Messick, tuition	15.00
Eva Kennedy, tuition	15.00
Martha Kennedy, tuition	15.00
Veda Hull, tuition	15.00

January 18, 1919

Cecyl Wiley, tuition	7.50
Pauline McDermott, tuition	15.00
Helen Burch, tuition	15.00
Cleta Trueblood, tuition	15.00
Harold Dowden, tuition	15.00
Lela Dowden, tuition	15.00
Harvey Dowden, tuition	15.00
Blanch Pierpoint, tuition	15.00
Aline Holt,, tuition	15.00

January 20, 1919

Levita Epperson, tuition	15.00
Merrill Epperson, tuition	15.00
Lee Cook, tuition	15.00
Wilma Hall, tuition	15.00
Orville Sutterlin, tuition	15.00
Stanley Aley, tuition	15.00

January 21, 1919

Wilson McMurray, tuition	15.00
Alice McMurray, tuition	15.00
Roberta Wells, tuition	15.00
Marie Ashford, tuition	15.00
Bernice Holt, tuition	15.00

January 22, 1919

Rue Willis, tuition	7.50
Dean Campbell, tuition	15.00
Jean Powell, tuition	15.00
Paul Blagg, tuition	15.00
Mary McDonald, tuition	15.00

January 23, 1919

Wm. J. Lyle, tuition	15.00
Cleo Shinabargar, tuition	7.50

January 24, 1919

Dean Partridge, tuition	15.00
Opal Thummell, tuition	9.00

January 27, 1919

Thelma McGinness, tuition	15.00
Merrill McGinness, tuition	15.00

January 28, 1918

Ralph Shrewsberry, tuition	15.00

February 3, 1919

Mona Everist, tuition	15.00

February 7, 1919

C. L. Gann, Twp. Collector	699.01

February 18, 1919

Gladys Thompson, tuition	22.50

February 19, 1919

Cecil Howard, tuition	15.00

February 24, 1919

Rue Willis, tuition	15.00

February 27, 1919

State Normal School, coal	38.85

March 5, 1919

Frank Hayson, tuition	3.00
Grace Tebow, tuition	9.00
Mildred Tebow, tuition	15.00

March 10, 1919

Olivia Friend, tuition	15.00
Nellie Hall, tuition	15.00

March 15, 1919

C. L. Gann, Twp. Collector	1,095.95

March 12, 1919

Lettie New, tuition	15.00
Gladys New, tuition	15.00

March 17, 1919

Sadie Aley, tuition	20.88

March 19, 1919

Orville Sutterlin, tuition	15.00
Cleo Coler, tuition	15.00
Pauline McDermott, tuition	15.00
Marie Deneen, tuition	15.00
Blanch Alexander, tuition	15.00
Robert Wells, tuition	15.00
Helen Burch, tuition	15.00
Veda Hall, tuition	15.00
Cleta Trueblood, tuition	15.00
Dean Campbell, tuition	15.00
Lee Cook, tuition	15.00
Ermil Coler, tuition	15.00

March 20, 1919

Lila Dowden, tuition	15.00
Harold Dowden, tuition	15.00
Mary Busby, tuition	15.00
Mary Hartman, tuition	15.00
Clara Hartman, tuition	15.00
Blanch Pierpoint tuition	15.00

March 21, 1919

Gladys Keever, tuition	15.00
Levita Epperson, tuition	15.00
Merrill Epperson, tuition	15.00
Iva Williams, tuition	15.00
Aline Holt, tuition	15.00
Mary McDonald, tuition	15.00

March 22, 1919

Wilma Hall, tuition	15.00
Mildred Massie, tultion	15.00
Lula Massie, tuition	15.00
James Blagg, Co. Treasurer	1,081.77

March 24, 1919

Vesta Rogers, tuition	22.50
Thelma Hunter, tuition	15.00
Martha Kennedy, tuition	15.00
Eva Kennedy, tuition	15.00
Wm. Lyle, tuition	15.00
Bernice Holt, tuition	15.00

March 25, 1919

Gladys Thompson, tuition	15.00
Audrey Craig, tuition	15.00
Marie Ashford, tuition	15.00
Paul Blagg, tuition	15.00
Margaret Sorrie, tuition	15.00

March 27, 1919

Stanley Aley, tuition	15.00
Opal Thummell, tuition	9.00

March 31, 1919

Mabel Messick, tuition	15.00

April 1, 1919

Olivia Friend, tuition	15.00
Crystal Hantze, tuition	8 20

April 2, 1919

Ralph Shrewsberry, tuition	15.00

April 7, 1919

Mona Everist, tuition	15.00

April 14, 1919

Thelma McGinness, tuition	15.00
Merrill McGinness, tuition	15.00
Jean Powell, tuition	15.00

April 26, 1919

James Blagg, Co. Treasurer	254.34

May 5, 1919

Nellie Hall, tuition	15.00

April 24, 1919

F. G. Shoemaker, coal	232.10

May 19, 1919

Geo. P. Wright, window breakage	1.50
J. M. McDonald, Manual Training Dept.	174.01

June 10, 1919

James Blagg, Co. Treasurer	53.05
Total Receipts from all Sources	$38,134.11

EXPENDITURES.

Superintendent and Teachers

J. M. McDonald, Superintendent	$ 2,000.00
L. E. Zeigler	1,100.00
Edward C. Hall	1,000.02
Edna Robinson	810.00
Laura B. Hawkins	810.00
Marie Hart	810.00
Mabel Wells	765.00
Katherine Jones	742.50
Mary Ford	720.00
Martha Denny	720.00
Anna Bainum	697.50
Ada S. Albert	675.00
Edna Bonewitz	675.00
Nelle Hudson	675.00
Dena Hartman	656.25
Myrtle Hogue	645.00
Mildred Boone	630.00
Bertha Northcutt	630.00
Alice G. Worst	630.00
Lizzetta G. Gray	585.00
Cora Gehr	585.00
Edna Dietz	585.00
Lucile Holmes	540.00
Ruby Irwin	540.00
Ilene Kemp	540.00
Mary Sewell	540.00
Opal Key	540.00
Mrs. W. J. Osborn	431.25
Alicia Keeler	405.00
Ray Peasley	350.00
Harold Adle	180.00
Mamie Kane	150.00
Louise Rowlett	120.00
Mrs. J. M. McDonald	60.00
Total Paid Teachers	$21,542.52

Janitors

Frank Hooper	$ 787.84
J. E. James	576.13
Wm. Frazee	346.66
H. A. Byers	298.67
Wm. Irwin	188.00
H. A. Kiphart	144.00
C. M. Casey	140.00
Dave Cornett	13.50
Total Paid Janitors	$ 2,494.80
Geo. P. Wright, salary as Secretary	$ 150.00
James B. Robinson, salary as Treasurer	25.00
	$ 175.00
	2,494.80
Total Salaries	$24,212.32

INCIDENTAL EXPENSES

Alderman-Yehle Dry Goods Co., supplies	$ 40.66
W. H. Allen, lettering diplomas	13.00
American Book Co., supplies	28.80
American Seating Co., desks, etc.	309.09
Wm. Armstrong, material and repairs	41.35
Big Creek Coal Company, coal	1,909.90
Brice Publishing Co., supplies	5.44
Central Scientific Co., supplies	$ 38.60
City Water Co., water service	188.79
Colby & Baker, insurance	23.25
Jas. Conklin, Plumbing Co., Plumbing	4.35
Co. C, 4th Infantry, M. H. G., bugle	13.00
Curfman Lumber Co., lumber	331.95
H. B. Cushman, work on piano	1.00
Educational Supply Co., supplies	18.64
Wm. Everhart, wood	18.00
Fairbanks Morse & Co., cylinder linings	27.50
Dr. W. C. Ferguson, class address	20.00
Fred Fields, labor	3.60
State Normal School, repairs on thermostats	7.85
A. Flanigan & Co., supplies	71.61
Garrett Hardware Co., supplies	11.95
Gaugh & Woodworth, Supplies	47.50
Gaylord Bros., magazine binders	15.94
L. H. Geist, repairs	129.75
M. A. Hahn, ripping oak	2.60
Ed C. Hall, Manual Training supplies	5.80
Ed F. Hamlin, school enumeration	70.00
Hanamo Telephone Co., messages	2.75
Harrison Bros., freight and drayage	67.35
D. E. Hotchkin, supplies	86.65
Henry Holt & Co., supplies	5.87
J. I. Holcomb Mfg. Co., supplies	20.60
W. A. Hooper, repairs	16.00
Hoover Bros., supplies	42.03
Hudson & Welch, supplies	67.30
Iowa Frye Co. supplies	3.90
H. W. Johns-Mandeville Co., supplies	9.61
W. W. Jones & Co., belt	2.90
Kesslers Hardware Co., supplies	71.90
Koch Pharmacy, supplies	133.60
Kuchs Bros., supplies	152.48
Landon Music Co., tuning piano and polish	3.25
Laurel Book Co., supplies	13.52
Lowe & Campbell, supplies	8.48
J. M. McDonald, supplies and expenses	203.46
Maryville Light and Power Co., service	165.43
Maryville Publishing Co., printing	48.40
Maryville Tribune, printing	51.60
Bert Mack, plastering	50.50
Maryville Laundry, laundry	26.71
Maryville Drug Co., supplies	1.90
Maco Print Shop, printing	72.30
Jesse Milward, labor	20.10
I. N. Middleton, drayage	9.00
Mermod-Jackard & King, diplomas	75.00
Moore Bros., Lightning Rod Co., carbide	5.50
Missouri Stores Co., supplies	42.20
Orear-Henry Drug Co., supplies	6.40
PharesLumber Co., lumber	288.50
Wm. Bliss, labor	8.00
A. N. Palmer Co., supplies	12.39
Perolat Bros., supplies	35.10
Jas. C. Pistole, lumber	21.00
Price & McNeal, rent on chairs	9.05
H. L. Raines, medals and engraving	24.60
Riggs Publishing Co., supplies	13.31
Remington Typewriter Co., typewriters	360.00
Rand, McNally & Co., maps	7.50
A. S. Robey, Boiler insurance	95.90
M. H. Stuart, Treasurer, dues N. W. T. Association	2.00
R. E. Snodgrass, class address	20.00
Singer Sewing Machine Co., repairs and oil	3.60
H. D. Snyder, military instruction and supplies	222.90
N. Schumacher, supplies	10.91
Standard Oil Co., supplies	74.25
Strong & Daniels, labor and material	33.00
Chas. Shelton, labor	3.20
Standard School Supply Co., typewriter tables	35.60
F. G. Shoemaker, drayage on coal	349.61
Townsend Grocery Co., supplies	38.70
Tindall & Smith, plumbing	179.42
Jas. Todd, Postmaster, stamps	20.00
Union Carbide Co., carbide	49.00
Underwood & Underwood, balance on picture machine	130.00
Wabash R. R. Co., freight on coal	833.22
C. E. Wells, magazines	16.18
C. F. Williams & Son, supplies	13.60
J. H. Woodburn, labor and material	126.80
Howard Wray, nails and shovels	1.60
L. E. Zeigler, expenses	5.75
Joab Nicholas, refund tuition	5.00
Lula and Mildred Massie, refund tuition	10.00
Connie Coffman, refund tuition	15.00
Pauline Whitmore, refund tuition	8.00
Eldon Gray, refund tuition	5.00
Mildred and Robert Nicholas, refund tuition	15.00
	$7,979.88

RECAPITULATION

Total Paid Teachers	$21,542.52	
Total Paid Janitors	2,494.80	
Secretary & Treasurer	175.00	$24,212.32
Total Incidental Expenses		7,979.88
TOTAL EXPENSES		$32,192.20
BALANCE GENERAL FUND JUNE 30, 1918	$ 8,085.22	
RECEIPTS JULY 1, 1918 to JUNE 30, 1919	30,048.89	$38,134.11
TOTAL EXPENDITURES FOR YEAR		32,192.20
BALANCE GENERAL FUND JUNE 30, 1919		$ 5,941.91

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CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

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Classified "wants", one cent per word first insertion and one half cent per word for each subsequent insertion, no advertisement for less than.....25c

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Count the words; send money with the order. Ads should be in by twelve o'clock to insure insertion in this column same day.

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FOR SALE.

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"Buy it of Brewer."

FOR SALE—Gibson Mandolin, cheap. Frank Reynolds, 904 East Cooper. 10-tf

FOR SALE—Chester White sow and ten pigs nine weeks old. Emmett Bartram. 10-12*

FOR SALE—Baby buggy. See Mrs. A. S. Robey, 321 West 4th St. 10-12*

FOR SALE—6 pigs 2½ months old. Morris H. Chick Farmers 125. 923 South Main St. 10-12*

FOR SALE—Complete block machine, jack screws, wheel barrows and tools. Frank Reynolds, 904 East Cooper. 10-12.

FOR SALE—A Ford Roadster, in good running condition. Maryville Electric Lt. & Pr. Co. Empire Theater Bldg. A17tf.

FOR SALE—One Overland, five passenger touring car in good condition. C. C. Hellmers. M2tf.

FOR SALE—Shorthorn bulls, priced worth the money. Will make delivery. Oren Lanning, Barnard, Mo. 14tf

FOR SALE—Corn for sale ¼ mile west of Knabb school house. Farmers phone 7-21. 12-14*

FOR SALE—The best 14 acre tract adjoining city limits 4 blocks from pavement on good public road, has 9 room house, electric lights, bath, etc. Fruit and wash house with basement, garage coal house, chicken house, large barn and hog houses. Plenty of water and an abundance of fruit.

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Place is so arranged that it can be sub-divided. This place must be seen to be appreciated. Priced to sell as we are leaving state.

C. E. JONES,

East 14th on R. F. D. 5, Box 8, Hanamo. Jy3tf

FOR SALE OR RENT—The Linneman property on East 7th. Inquire across the street. 8-21.

FOR SALE—My house and lot at 1005 East First street, and my two small tracts of land north of town. Mrs. J. L. Lee. 11-14*

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—6 room house at 1102 East Jenkins St. Inquire Louis Gram Hanamo 5542. A21tf.

FOR RENT—Dwelling house 3 blocks east of courthouse. Southeast corner of Saunders & 4th street. 6 rooms, city water and bath. Inquire Sisson Loan and Title Co. Hanamo 55 J8tf.

MISCELLANEOUS

CAR OWNERS ATTENTION—If you need any kind of parts for your car come and see us. We carry a complete line of second hand parts and sell at them at reasonable prices. Maryville Auto Wrecking Co. 9-15.

JUNK, JUNK—Wanted all kinds of junk and junk cars. Call or ship to Maryville Auto Wrecking Co. Hanamo 332. Farmers 75. 9-22.

NATIONAL RUBBER TIRE FILLER ends all tire trouble, a perfect substitute for air. 1-3*

WANTED—5 bright, capable Ladies to travel, demonstrate and sell dealers. $25.00 to $50.00 per week. Railroad fare paid. Write at once. Goodrich Drug Co., Dept. 555, Omaha Neb.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Albright of Skidmore attended the show presented by the Dubinsky Stock company last night.

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MARKET REPORTS

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH

Chicago, July 12.—Cattle, 9,000. Hogs 7,000. Sheep, 5,000.

St. Joseph, July 12.—Cattle, 100. Hogs, 2,400; top, $22.40; strong and higher.

Kansas City, July 12.—Cattle receipts 300. No market. Hog receipts, 1,000; sales, $22@22.30.

Kansas City, July 12.—July corn, $1.94; September, $1.95 3-4; December $1.65 1-4.

PRODUCE MARKET.

Fresh eggs, per dozen	32c
Spring Chickens	30c lb
Butter fat	47c lb
Hides	20c
Hen market	23c
Ducks, per lb	15c
Geese, per pound	12c
Old roosters, per pound	12c

Miss Crawford Leaves.

Miss Helen Rose Crawford of Horton, Kans., who has been visiting Miss Mildred Shinabargar and other friends, left for her home this morning. She was accompanied by Miss Shinabargar, who will spend a week in Horton.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Haigwood and baby daughter, EleanorMaxine, of Shawnee, Okla., who have been visiting at the home of Mrs. Haigwood's brother, Omer Wallace, left this morning for their home.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Conrad have returned from their ranch near Chugwater, Wyo., where they spent three weeks.

Visitors at Brewer Home.

Mrs. W. D. Ladd and small sons, Jimmie and Fred, of St. Joseph arrived Thursday night to visit Mrs. Ladd's sister, Mrs. Arthur A. Brewer, and family.

Kodak finishing is a business—not a side line with us. Carpenter. 13.

Annual Statement of Maryville School District

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BOND SINKING FUND.

JUNE 30, 1918, BALANCE		$ 7,234.06
Sept. 13, 1918—James Blagg, County Treasurer	$ 24.87	
Sept. 16, 1918—James Blagg, County Treasurer	5.55	
Dec. 6, 1918—C. L. Gann, Township Collector	282.45	
Jan. 9, 1919—C. L. Gann, Township Collector	2804.60	
Feb. 7, 1919—C. L. Gann, Township Collector	128.79	
March 15, 1919—C. L. Gann, Township Collector	202.11	
March 19, 1919—From Interest Fund	1800.00	
March 22, 1919—James Blagg, Co. Treasurer	199.00	
March 25, 1919—James Blagg, Co. Treasurer	360.00	
April 26, 1919—James Blagg, Co. Treasurer	46.49	$ 5,853.86
TOTAL		$13,087.92
EXPENDITURES—		
Oct. 23, 1918—Paid Bonds Nos. 37, 38, 39 and 40	$4000.00	
Jan. 27, 1919—Paid Bonds Nos. 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46	6000.00	
March 18, 1919—Paid Bonds Nos. 63 and 64	1975.80	
March 28, 1919—Paid Bond No. 66	989.30	$12,965.10
JUNE 30, 1919 BALANCE		$ 122.82

BOND INTEREST FUND.

JUNE 30, 1918, BALANCE		$ 206.87
Dec. 6, 1918—C. L. Gann, Township Collector	$ 255.51	
Jan. 9, 1919—C. L. Gann, Township Collector	2537.46	
Feb. 7, 1919—C. L. Gann, Township Collector	115.90	
March 15, 1919—C. L. Gann, Township Collector	181.46	
March 22, 1919—James Blagg, Co. Treasurer	179.77	
April 26, 1919—James Blagg, Co. Treasurer	42.06	$ 3,312.16
		$ 3,519.03
EXPENDITURES—		
July 23, 1918—Semi-annual interest on 23 bonds	$ 517.50	
Jan. 25, 1919—Semi-annual interest on 19 bonds and premium on Bonds Nos. 41, 42, 43, 44, 45 and 46	562.50	
March 18, 1919—Interest on Bonds Nos. 63 and 64 from Jan. 20, 1919 to date	14.50	
March 19, 1919—To Bond Sinking Fund to pay Bonds Nos. 63 and 64	1800.00	
Mar. 24, 1919—To Bond Sinking Fund as per record	360.00	
Mar. 28, 1919—Interest on Bond No. 66 from Jan. 20th to date	8.25	$ 3,262.75
JUNE 30, 1919 BALANCE		$ 256.28

TEXT BOOK FUND.

JUNE 30, 1918, BALANCE		$ 266.31
Jan. 30, 1919—Burt Rowley, Township Trustee	$ 712.90	712.90
TOTAL		$ 979.21
EXPENDITURES—		
Oct. 5, 1918—The Macmillan Co., books	$ 7.90	
Oct. 7, 1918—Missouri Stores Co., books	6.47	
Oct. 8, 1918—J. M. McDonald, Tel. & Exp. books	10.06	
Oct. 25, 1918—Manual Arts Press, books	10.80	
Nov. 6, 1918—Ginn & Co., books	6.12	
Nov. 13, 1918—Industrial Book & Eqp. Co., book	1.20	
Jan. 31, 1919—A. N. Palmer Co., books	119.70	
Jan. 31, 1919—The Prang Co., books	3.43	
Jan. 31, 1919—The Macmillan Co., books	67.21	
Feb. 1, 1919—Scott, Foresman & Co., books	11.82	
Feb. 3, 1919—University Pub. Co., books	69.63	
Feb. 3, 1919—A. J. Nystrom & Co., books	44.00	
Feb. 3, 1919—Houghton, Miffin & Co., books	91.53	
Feb. 5, 1919—Chas. E. Merrill Co., books	10.31	
Feb. 7, 1919—Longsman, Green & Co., books	56.46	
Feb. 28, 1919—Scott, Foresman & Co., books	4.14	
Feb. 28, 1919—University Pub. Co., books	13.06	
March 3, 1919—Houghton, Miffin & Co., books	14.68	
March 7, 1919—Longsman, Green & Co., books	6.66	
March 29, 1919—A. N. Palmer Co., books	5.02	
April 1, 1919—Ginn & Co., books	7.81	
April 5, 1919—World Book Co., books	4.69	
April 7, 1919—Longsman, Green & Co., books	9.45	
April 26, 1919—Scott, Foresman & Co., books	3.75	
April 26, 1919—A. C. McClurg & Co., books	9.19	
April 30, 1919—Ginn & Co., books	6.75	
May 5, 1919—Longsman, Green & Co., books	20.95	
May 22, 1919—University Pub. Co., books	3.00	
May 23, 1919—Ginn & Co., books	3.90	$ 628.49
JUNE 30, 1919 BALANCE		$ 350.72

BUILDING FUND.

JUNE 30, 1918, BALANCE		$ 5.29
April 18, 1919—Insurance on Douglas School	$ 350.00	
April 21, 1919—Geo. Owsley, outbuildings	5.00	
April 25, 1919—Coal house, Douglas School	5.00	
April 25, 1919—Geo. Owsley, outbuildings	5.00	
April 25, 1919—Geo. Owsley, outbuildings	10.00	$ 375.00
		$ 380.29
JUNE 30, 1918 BALANCE		$ 380.29

SUMMARY.

GENERAL FUND BALANCE, June 30, 1919	$5,941.91
BOND SINKING FUND BALANCE, June 30, 1919	122.82
BOND INTEREST FUND BALANCE, June 30, 1919	256.28
TEXT BOOK FUND BALANCE, June 30, 1919	350.72
BUILDING FUND BALANCE, June 30, 1919	380.29
TOTAL FUNDS ON HAND and in the hands of the Treasurer June 30, 1919	$7,052.02

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES B. ROBINSON, Treasurer.

Examined and approved by the Board, this July 8th, 1919.

J. R. BRINK, Pres.
GEORGE P. WRIGHT, Sec'y.

NEWS OF SOCIETY AND WOMEN'S CLUBS

(Continued from page 3)

that evening the newly weds left on the evening passenger for Denver.

The out of town guests were: Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Bridger and Miss Helen of Richland; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Sidmore and daughters, Helen and Mary, of Gilmore City;; Mrs. W. C. Scamman and children, James and Joy, of Rock Port, Mo.

The wedding was the happy culmination of a friendship which dates back to college days at Iowa Wesleyan. After September 1 the newly married couple will be at home at 509 Perry Apartments, Davenport.

The bride is one of Ida Grove"s most charming and popular daughters She is an accomplished young woman of most pleasing personality, amiable disposition and high character.—Ida County Pioneer, Ida Grove, Iowa.

Eversole Dinner Guests.

Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Eversole gove a dinner yesterday noon for Mrs. Charles Lippman and son, Cyrus, of St. Louis, Mrs. C. A. Anthony and Miss Hettie Anthony.

Montgomery Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Montgomery entertained with a dinner Thursday evening in compliment to Mr. and Mrs. Cleav Funk, who left yesterday for Bonesteel, S. Dak., to spend a few months, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Flynn of Kansas City. Additional guests were Mr. a.nd Mrs. Lawrence Ogden.

Reunion of Frank Families.

A reunion of the Frank families will be held tomorrow at "Parkdale," the beautiful country home of Mr. and Mrs. Dale Bellows. The out-of-town guests will be Mrs. John Frank of King City, and her son, Roger Frank of Seattle, Wash., who will arrive tonight, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Frank and son, Mr. and Mrs. Lon Frank and children, and Miss Mary Frank, Lloyd and Walton Frank, all of King City, who will motor here tomorrow. The Maryville members of the party will include Mr. and Mrs. Bellows and daughter, Emma Ruth. Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Frank, Mr. and Mrs. Arch Frank and daughter, Eva Margaret, Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Roseberry and daughters, Esther and Laura Phoebe.

Sturm Party.

Mrs. Nick Sturm and daughter, Miss Clara Sturm, honored Mrs. Frank Flynn of Kansas City and Mrs. C. Edward Sturm of Oklahoma City, Okla., with a six-hand euchre party this afternoon at the Sturm home on South Main street. Garden flowers were used in decorating the rooms and the tables had centerpieces of the same blossoms. The hostesses had the assistance of Mrs. Sturm's grandchildren, Mayme Grems and Charles Edward and George Sturm of Oklahoma City. Additional out-of-town guests were Mrs. Phil Ridgeway of Lenox, Ia., Miss Nellie Douglas, Mrs. A. C. Malone of Bonne Terre, Mo., Mrs. Charles Woodson Smith of Kansas City, Mrs. Noble C. Covey of Pueblo, Colo., Mrs. W. D. Ladd of St. Joseph, Mrs. Edgar F. Schilder of Syracuse, N. Y., and Mrs. W. E. Courtney of Kansas City.

Rev. Hale Addresses Auxiliary.

The Ladies' auxiliary of the Baptist church met in an all-day session yesterday at the church. In the afternoon at 2:30 o'clock a business meeting was held and reports from the four circles of the auxiliary were given. The program was suspended and a large gathering of the ladies listened to a fine talk by Rev. L. M. Hale of the Delmar Baptist church, St. Louis, on women's work in the war. The speaker told of many interesting incidents where women were risking their lives in assisting the men in the trenches. One incident in particular was that of a woman driving a car through shell fire in Death Valley to deliver papers to the boys who won the war.

Ask Carpenter—He probably knows. 13.

Take your kodak finishing to the Bee Hive Shoe Store. Carpenter. 13.

HESSIAN FLY IN KANSAS.

Emporia, Kans., July 12.—The Hessian fly is increasing rapidly in numbers in Kansas. E. G. Kelley, entomologist of the state agricultural college, told county farm agents of the Fourth district at a meeting here yesterday. He declared conditions resemble those preceding 1908, and 1915, when the pest caused great damage in Kansas.

Met Her Husband in St. Louis.

Mrs. K. P. Phares left last night for St. Louis where she met her husband, Bergt. Phares, who received his discharge at Camp Taylor at Louisville, Ky., Friday. They are expected to return to Maryville Sunday morning. Sergt. Phares was in France over a year.

Miss Louise Ray of Decatur, Ill., who has been spending a few weeks with her aunt, Mrs. aMry A. Phares, will leave tonight for her home.

'SPUDS" SUFFER FROM ROOT ROT

Prof. Metzler Tells How to Discover the Disease—No Remedy For It.

Prof. L. F. Metzler in conjunction with the authorities of the agriculture college of the state university, after conducting an investigation, announcing that they have definitely identified the disease that is affecting the potatoes of this region. The disease is scientifically known as rhizophareras and commonly known a sroot rot. The disease was first discovered by Prof. Metzler in the William Doran potato patch on South Vine Street. Since then he has received reports from all over the country, stating that the disease is general.

The symptoms by which this disease may be identified are the curling up of the leaves above the ground and the gradual dying away of the entire plant Usually a few small potatoes form just above the place where the rot first begins to affect the root. The decay slowly extends over the root and eventually all the plant becomes diseased.

Root rot is purely a fungus disease and is not accompanied by insects as was at first somewhat generally thought The unusual severity of the menace this year is due to the very wet weather of the spring months.

Nothing can be done to stop the root from decaying and the plants form eventually dying, after the decay once begins. Prof. Metzler states that it is very unwise to plant the same ground in potatoes next year, if this year's crop is infected. The reason for this is that the infection is not only carried in the potato plant but in the soil.

Root rot affects many weeds and other plants. For that reason clean farming is recommended to rid the farm of the disease.

If seed potatoes are to be used from this years crop and it has suffered from the disease the potatoes should be treated with formaldehyde. Use one pint of formaldehyde to thirty gallons of water. Let the potatoes remain in the solution forty-two hours..

Ellis G. Cook will leave on a short business trip to Neosho, Mo., this evening.

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FOR A DRAINAGE DITCH

Petition Is Being Circulated for a District Along Platte River for a Distance of 18 Miles.

A petition for the incorporation of a drainage district along Platte River between the north boundary line of Jefferson Township in Nodaway county and Whitesville in Andrew county, has been circulated in this community this week by Prof. Earl Richards, J. L. Bedford and others, and we are informed the same has been signed by a large number of the persons owning the lands that will be in the proposed district, so that the proposition will undoubtedly be a go, says the Guilford Times.

This proposed district will be about eighteen miles from north to south which is said to be an ideal length, as the water will have a clean sweep in that distance and be carried rapidly away. By installing two machines the construction of the new channel can be accomplished in less than a year's time. We have been informed that the petition will be finished in time for filing for the September term of the Nodaway county circuit court.

Those promoting the proposition claim that by the expenditure of an averag of $15 to $18 per acre of actual overflow lands a new channel can be constructed of sufficient size to carry three or four times the amount of water that now flows through the old channel. This new channel will rapidly wash deeper and wider so that within two or three years after being completed it will be close to if not one hundred feet wide.

Such a new channel would have prevented all the floods that have visited the Platte valley this year and saved the crops that have been destroyed. This would have saved enough to have paid for the new channel.

GERMANS TO WITHDRAW.

London, July 12.—Germany is preparing to evacuate Schleswig-Polsten, according to an exchange telegraph Copenhagen dispatch. The Spartacists activities there are said to be the reason.

Taking P. M. Examination.

Mrs. Joe Pfeiffer of Conception Junction is taking the civil service examination for postmaster at Conception Junction in this city today. She is the only applicant for the position.

Mrs. Robert Lyle went to St. Joseph this morning.

Miss Elizabeth Leet is visiting friends in Kansas City for a few days.

If it can be photographed, Carpenter can do it. 13.

Do you know the power of Democrat Forum Want Ads?

NO FUNERAL ARRANGEMENTS YET

Family Awaits Arrival of Out of Town Relatives of Mrs. Mary Ware.

The funeral services for Mrs. Mary Ware who died at the home of her son, Glen Ware, living near Quitman, yesterday morning have not been definitely completed. The surviving children of Mrs. Ware, living out of Quitman, are expected to arrive there this evening at which time definite arrangements will be completed.

Mrs. Ware was 78 years of age at the time of her demise. She was stricken last winter by an attack of influenza and never fully recovered, although she did not seem to be seriously ill until a few hours preceding her death. The deceased is survived by five children, Glen Ware of Quitman; H. A. Ware, of Eldorado, Kan.; Mrs. F. P. Prosser of Wichita, Kan.; Mrs. Joseph Carden of Quitman, and J. A. Ware of Chickasha, Okla.

FRENCH OFFICIAL DEAD.

Washington, July 12.—Edward DeBilly, formerly head of the French high commission to this country, died in Paris as the result of a fall from a horse, the French Embassy advised this afternoon.

Elmer Fraser went to St. Joseph this morning.

TEACHERS WANTED.

I will be at the Linville Hotel Monday. Will be glad to interview teachers wanting better positions and superintendents looking for teachers.The enrollment is free to teachers and our service is free to employers. We are having a constant demand for all kinds of teachers in many states and believe we can get qualified teachers more money than they can get by themselves Arthur B. Cline, Manager, Cline Teachers' Agency, Columbia, Missouri.—Adv.

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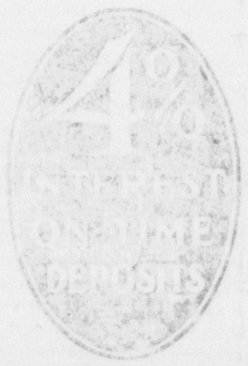

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